

Act No. 118, 1902.

JURY
(AMENDMENT).

An Act to amend the Jury Act, 1901, and to validate certain jury lists. [22nd December, 1902.]

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the "Jury (Amendment) Act, 1902," and shall be construed with the Jury Act, 1901, hereinafter in this Act called the Principal Act.

Parramatta juror's district.

2. Section eight of the Principal Act is amended by the addition of the following paragraph:—

"All other parts of the county of Cumberland without the said Sydney police district and radius of twelve miles from the Sydney Town Hall, shall be the jurors' district for the town of Parramatta."

Jurors' districts for towns other than Sydney and Parramatta.

3. Subsection (1) of section nine of the Principal Act is repealed, and the following subsection substituted in lieu thereof:—

"The jurors' district for every other town or place at which any court for the trial by jury of civil and criminal issues and the assessment of damages, or any Court of Quarter Sessions, or any District Court, is appointed to be held, shall comprise the land within a radius of thirty miles from every such town or place: Provided that any juror residing within the juror's district of two or more courts shall only be liable to serve at the court nearest to his place of residence."

Special petty sessions to be summoned during the second week in December of each year.
Validation of jury lists for 1903.

4. Section thirteen of the Principal Act is amended by the substitution of the words "during the second week" for the words "on the second Tuesday" where they occur in that section.

5. All jury lists for the year one thousand nine hundred and three, made and prepared before the passing of this Act in accordance with the provisions of the Principal Act as amended by this Act, shall be valid.